

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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APPLICANT(S): LOEBERMANN et al.

APPLICATION NO.: To Be Assigned ART UNIT:

FILING DATE: Herewith EXAMINER:

TITLE: HYDRATES OF OPTIONALLY SUBSTITUTED  
2-(2-PYRIDINYL)METHYLTHIO-1H-BENZIMIDAZOLES AND PROCESS FOR THE  
PRODUCTION THEREOF

ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.: 785-011686-US (C01)

Commissioner for Patents  
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

I. INTRODUCTION

Preliminary to commencing prosecution, please amend the  
Application as Follows: